W·01303A·07·0209



ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMIS

UTILITY COMPLAINT FORM

4700

Investigator: Trish Meeter

Phone:

Fax:

Priority: Respond Within Five Days

Opinion

No. 2008

67539

Date: 4/3/2008

Complaint Description:

08A Rate Case Items - Opposed

N/A Not Applicable

First:

Last:

Complaint By:

Rex

Account Name:

Bowen

Home: (000) 000-0000

Street:

State:

City:

Work: CBR:

is:

Utility Company.

Arizona - American Water Company

Division:

Water

ΑZ

Contact Name:

Contact Phone:

Nature of Complaint:

4/3 ******REC'VD THROUGH THE OFFICE OF CHAIRMAN GLEASON AND CC'D TO ALL

COMMISSIONERS**

DOCKET NO. W-01303A-07-0209

Arizona Corporation Commission DOCKETED

APR - 3 2008

From

Sent: Thursday, April 03, 2008 8:11 AM

To: Gleason-WebEmail

Cc: Mayes-WebEmail; Mundell-Web; Hatch-WebEmail; Pierce-Web

Subject: Arizona-American Water

DOCKETED BY

Dear Mr. Chairman:

Please do not approve the request of the Arizona-American Water to raise the rate request for Sun City AZ. to 29.53%. We who live here ,So many are on fixed income and can't afford the raise. The Fire Flow Improvement would help Sun City very little. But Young Town needs it much more and they should have to pay for it. Young Town dose not even have a Fire Dept.So again I plead not to approve the water rate. Yours truly Rex Bowen

End of Complaint

Utilities' Response:

Investigator's Comments and Disposition:

ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION

UTILITY COMPLAINT FORM

EMAIL TO CUSTOMER:

April 3, 2008

RE: ARIZONA AMERICAN WATER

Dear Mr. Bowen,

Your email regarding the Arizona American Water Co. ("AAW") rate case has been received through the offices of Chairman Gleason and Commissioners Mayes, Pierce, Mundell and Hatch-Miller. It will be placed on file with the Docket Control Center of the Arizona Corporation Commission (Commission") to be made part of the record. The Commission will consider your comments before a decision is rendered in the AAW application.

The concerns raised in letters and emails received from customers will assist the Commission in the investigation and review of the rate application. The Commission's independent analysis of the utility and its rate request attempts to balance the interest of the utility and its customers.

Commission Staff is very sensitive to the burden that high utility rates can place on the consumer, and though constitutionally required to allow a fair return to the utility, does everything within its authority to protect the consumer.

Staff appreciates your comments and the interest taken on the proposed rate increase. If you should have any questions relating to this issue, please call me toll free at (800) 222-7000.

Sincerely,

Trish Meeter
Public Utilities Consumer Analyst
Utilities Division
Arizona Corporation Commission

CLOSED
End of Comments

Date Completed: 4/3/2008

Opinion No. 2008 - 67539